

**One Hundred Seventh Legislature - First Session - 2021**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB152**

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**Chairperson: Senator Tom Briese**

**Committee: General Affairs**

**Date of Hearing: January 25, 2021**

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 152 broadens the sale of fireworks by changing the definition of 'consumer fireworks' to any device that meets federal requirements and has been approved by a nationally recognized testing facility or by the State Fire Marshal.

This bill removes exceptions to consumer fireworks, and allows the State Fire Marshal to test and deem fireworks unsafe in response to complaints.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senator Julie Slama**